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Mr. Suresh Palliparambil American Sales and Business Development Director NXP 411 East Plumeria Drive San Jose, CA 95134

Dear Mr. Palliparambil,

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade on Thursday, March 3, 2016, to testify at the hearing entitled "Disrupter Series: Wearable Devices."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions by the close of business on Tuesday, April 5, 2016. Your responses should be mailed to Giulia Giannangeli, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to Giulia.Giannangeli@mail.house.gov.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,

Michael C. Burgess, M.D.

Chairman

Subcommittee on Commerce,

Manufacturing, and Trade

cc: Jan Schakowsky, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade

Attachment

Attachment - Additional Questions for the Record

The Honorable Michael C. Burgess, M.D.

- 1. What are the biggest challenges that you've seen to businesses and consumers in the adoption of wearable devices?
- 2. Mr. Palliparambil, given NXP's presence in many of the wearable devices on the market today, do we currently have the infrastructure to support the rapidly growing wearables market and accommodate multiple users? If not, where do we need to see greater support and investment to help drive this market forward?
- 3. What do you think is the most significant cybersecurity concern facing wearable devices and how is NXP addressing it?

The Honorable Gregg Harper

- 1. What enhanced capabilities do you see wearable devices providing in the next five to 10 years, beyond what they are providing to consumers and businesses today?
- 2. What does this fast pace of innovation mean for policymakers in terms of how we should be thinking about the technology?